

"Who Being Dead Yet Speaketh"

vast is the work still before us, six hundred years after Lull!

According to recent and exhaustive statistics, the population of the Mohammedan world is placed at 259,680,672.* Of these 11,515,402 are in Europe, 171,278,008 are in Asia, 19,446 are in Australasia, 76,818,253 are in Africa, and 49,563 are in North and South America. Three per cent. of Europe's population is Moslem; Asia has 18 per cent., and Africa 37 per cent. Out of every 100 souls in the world 16 are followers of Mohammed. Islam's power extends in many lands, from Canton to Sierra Leone, and from Zanzibar to the Caspian Sea.

Islam is growing to-day even faster in some lands than it did in the days of Lull. And yet in other lands, such as European Turkey, Caucasia, Syria, Palestine, and

* Dr. Hubert Jansen's "Verbreitung des Islams," Berlin, 1897; a marvel of research and accuracy.